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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI
(SPECIAL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION)**

**TUESDAY, THE THIRTY FIRST DAY OF MARCH
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX**

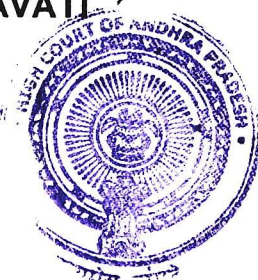
:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE MAHESWARA RAO KUNCHEAM

IA No. 3 OF 2026

IN

WP NO: 26662 OF 2025



Between:

M/s. MANIRA ENERGY PRIVATE LIMITED, company incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956, having its registered office at 10-3-316/A, Masab Tank, Hyderabad, Telangana 500082 Rep. by its Authorised Signatory Mr. Armaan Ebrahim

...Petitioner

AND

1. ANDHRA PRADESH CENTRAL POWER DISTRIBUTION CORPORATION LIMITED, Corporate Office, Beside Govt. Polytechnic, ITI Road, Vijayawada 520008 Rep. by Superintending Engineer (O)
2. TRANSMISSION CORPORATION OF ANDHRA PRADESH LIMITED, Vidyut Soudha, Gunadala, Eluru Road, Vijayawada 520004 Rep. by Managing Director.
3. THE STATE OF ANDHRA PRADESH, Energy Department Secretariat, Velagapudi, Amaravati, Andhra Pradesh Represented by Principal Secretary.

...Respondents

Counsel for the Petitioner : SRI VIMAL VARMA VASI REDDY

Counsel for the Respondent Nos.1 & 2 : SRI V V SATISH (SC for

APEPDCL)

Counsel for the Respondent No.3 : GP FOR ENERGY

Petition under Section 151 CPC is filed praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in support of the petition, the High Court may be pleased to stay all further proceedings in pursuance of the demand of HT Bill dated 03rd March 2026, pending adjudication till the disposal of the writ petition, Pending disposal of WP No. 26662 of 2025, on the file of the High Court.

The court, while directing issue of notice to the Respondents herein to show cause as to why this application should not be complied with, made the following order. (The receipt of this order will be deemed to be the receipt of notice in the case).

ORDER

Learned counsel for the petitioner asserts that the respondents are acting malafide, arbitrarily, vague and issuing successive bills in stereotype manner. He also submits that in view of the previous bills, he forced to file IA No.1 of 2026 and IA No.2 of 2026. Again for the March-2026 bill, the petitioner filed the present IA No.3 of 2026.

Indisputably, this Court on 04.02.2026 granted conditional interim order in IA No.1 of 2026 and on 25.02.2026 in IA No.2 of 2026.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that both the orders dated 04.02.2026 and 25.02.2026 are being complied with.

Apparently, the respondent corporation has not filed any counter affidavit either in main Writ Petition or in the Interlocutory Applications.

Considering the facts circumstances of the case, there shall be a direction to respondent Nos.1 and 2 not to take any coercive action of disconnection of power supply to the petitioner-industry, pursuant to the

Bill dated 03.03.2026, subject to the petitioner paying 25% of the bill amount, within a period of six (06) weeks from today.

Post after eight (08) weeks.

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SD/- K.J.RAJA BABU
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Superintending Engineer (O), ANDHRA PRADESH CENTRAL POWER DISTRIBUTION CORPORATION LIMITED, Corporate Office, Beside Govt. Polytechnic, ITI Road, Vijayawada 520008
2. The Managing Director, TRANSMISSION CORPORATION OF ANDHRA PRADESH LIMITED, Vidyut Soudha, Gunadala, Eluru Road, Vijayawada 520004.
3. THE Principal Secretary, STATE OF ANDHRA PRADESH, Energy Department Secretariat, Velagapudi, Amaravati, Andhra Pradesh. (1 to 3 By RPAD)
4. One CC to SRI. VIMAL VARMA VASI REDDY Advocate [OPUC] ✓
5. One CC to SRI. V V SATISH (SC for APEPDCL) Advocate [OPUC] ✓
6. Two CCs to GP FOR ENERGY, High Court of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT] ✓
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HIGH COURT

MRK, J

DATED:31/03/2026

Post after eight (08) weeks.

ORDER

WP.No.26662 of 2025

DIRECTION

